

# CHARITON COURIER.

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## BORDER COUNTY NOTES.

### CARROLL.

Chicken thieves continue to practice their vocation at Carrollton.

The residence of Bedford Hudson in Carrollton was slightly damaged by fire the night of the 19th inst.

Allen Miller, who was charged with stealing corn from the cribs along the Wabash railroad track at Carrollton, was discharged, his accusers being unable to establish his guilt as a corn thief.

The editor of the DeWitt Herald did not go fishing last week as he had announced, his intention of doing, and as a happy sequel the readers of the Herald escaped, for a time, at least, that dread affliction known as "fish stories."

Bob Brown of Carrollton has been commissioned first lieutenant of company A, Fourth regiment of Missouri volunteers, by Gov. Stephens to fill the vacancy caused in that office by the death of Lieutenant Frank A. Glick, who was also a Carrollton boy.

The reputation of C. M. Wheeler, editor of the Norborne Jeffersonian, for truth and veracity has heretofore been good, but most people will doubt it hereafter, as Brother Wheeler made the questionable statement in his paper last week that he had just put up a stove without adding anything to the labors of the recording angel.

Seventeen years ago on the 15th day of September, 1881, remarks the editor of the DeWitt Herald, who is evidently growing old, there was a considerable snow-storm in Carroll county. Many remember the storm, but probably have forgotten the day The Herald man believes that the snow that fell, Monday, October 17th, 1898, is the earliest since the above date, and had not the atmosphere been so warm the last-named snow would have been ten inches deep on a level.

John Stewart, the 24-year-old son of W. G. Stewart who runs a hotel at Bosworth was found lying on the banks of Hydrick creek not far from the public road leading from Hale to Bosworth, Tuesday morning of last week, almost dead from exposure. He managed, however, to give his name and address, and the parties who found him started with him to Bosworth, but he died on the way to that place. It seems that young Stewart started from Hale to Bosworth about four o'clock, Monday afternoon, in the snow-storm. He must have fallen asleep and thus lost his way, or was overtaken by darkness and in endeavoring to get his bearings he got out of the buggy, and while groping his way to find the road he fell into the creek and floated down until he lodged against a drift where he managed to crawl out onto the shore by heroic efforts as he had been partially paralyzed in one side all of his life. He remained on the banks of the creek the rest of the night and the next day till about 10 o'clock before he was found. The exposure to which he was subjected proved fatal. The unfortunate young man's mother is now very low, her illness having been caused by the shock incident to her son's sudden death.

### MARRIAGES.

John Smith and Miss May Marietta, of Smith township.

C. M. Ritzburger and Miss Ella Huggins of Carrollton.

### HOWARD.

A new telephone line is being constructed from Glasgow to Boonsboro. The distance between these two points is about 12 miles.

The heirs of the late James Cuddy of near Glasgow have been paid the \$2,000 life insurance which their father carried in the A. O. U. W.

A five-year-old son of J. D. Prosser of Fayette had a leg broken the latter part of last week by getting it caught in the wheel of a delivery wagon.

A large plate glass in Payne & Williams' bank at Fayette was, smashed into smithereens the latter part of last week. The wreck was caused by the wind's blowing the front door to with a violent slam.

Edgar Fenner, aged 18 years, the youth who was thrown from a horse on George Walcott's farm, near Smith chapel, about two weeks ago, died from the effects of his injuries and typhoid fever the first of last week.

Elder W. T. Henson of New Franklin is conducting a protracted meeting at Perry, Ralls county. He recently closed a meeting at Union chapel, Randolph county, where he succeeded in doubling the membership of the church.

'Squire John M. Kivett of near Boonsboro is dead. He was in his 75th year, and was an honorable man and an upright citizen. 'Squire Kivett had been a justice of the peace for the past 40 years, and during his long period of official life he united over 500 couples in marriage. He leaves six children to mourn his death.

Henry Burdie, a Glasgow ice-dealer, ordered another car load of ice for home consumption, his supply having become exhausted. The new consignment of frigidty arrived in time to be unloaded in the snow-storm, Monday of last week, and Mr. Burdie has since been sorry that he did not order a car load of coal instead of ice.

The Glasgow papers have gotten themselves mixed over a small fire at that place in which a stable was burned. The Globe stated that it belonged to one party and the Missouriian announced that it was the property of another party. This last week both the Globe and Missouriian apologized for having made a mistake, and reversed the names they gave the previous week as being the owner of the ill-fated stable. Just as a matter of curiosity the COURIER would like to know whose stable it was that was burned.

### MARRIAGES.

Thos. L. Perkins and Miss Ora L. Long of Fayette.

Harry Shores and Miss Mary Annie Harvey of Armstrong.

Aubra G. Fennell and Miss Octavia J. Anderson of Roanoke.

E. S. Brown of Marshall and Miss Bettie Denny of near Armstrong.

Marshall B. Yeaman, the talented city editor of the Howard county Advertiser published at Fayette, and Miss M. Louise Brooks of near Fayette.

Dan Farrington and Miss Maggie Smith of Hickridge. This couple will have something to scratch for besides a living, judging from their place of residence.

Chas. Tieman, formerly of Fayette, but now a druggist at the penitentiary in Jefferson City, and Miss Eleanor Starke, whose father is warden at the same institution of which the bridegroom is druggist.

### LINN.

Linneus is wrestling with the proposition of putting in an electric light plant.

The Linneus Bulletin is preparing to issue a holiday trade edition some time in December.

A Marceline firm is still advertising croquet sets and hammocks, and doubtless sells them at a bargain, too.

Mrs. Margaret Hughes Jones, a widow, died of stomach trouble at the residence of her nephew, D. J. Peacher, in Brookfield the latter part of last week.

Miss Blanche Sherman of Brookfield has signed a contract with the Theodore Thomas orchestra of Chicago as piano soloist for this season. Miss Sherman is quite young, but is said to be a very accomplished pianist.

The Sights school-house, located three miles northeast of St. Catherine, was burned to the ground, Monday night of last week. It is not known how the fire originated. The building was insured for \$300 and the contents for \$100.

I. N. Cook, formerly a brakeman on the Santa Fe railroad with his home at Marceline, but more recently an efficient officer on the St. Louis police force, died of typho-malarial

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fever at the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. T. B. Williams, in Marceline the first of last week, aged 38 years. Mr. Cook was prostrated with fever in St. Louis, but recovered sufficiently to go on a visit to Marceline where he took a relapse and died. A wife survives him.

A burglar entered the store of Fell & Co. at Linneus through a rear window, Sunday morning of last week, but Vern Gregg, a clerk who was sleeping in the store, was awakened by the intruder's presence. The fellow beat a hasty retreat when Gregg said: "Hello, there!" Gregg, however, followed his unceremonious visitor to the rear door and fired a couple of pistol shots in the direction in which the would-be free-booter had gone, but as no dead burglar was found the next morning, Gregg's shots must have gone wide of their intended target.

### MARRIAGES.

Thos. Bruce and Miss Lona Hungate of Hecla.

R. B. Turner and Miss Minnie Ginther of Linneus.

Cap. Williams and Miss Martha J. Dowell of near Hart.

M. G. White and Mrs. Gertrude Sues of Brookfield.

George T. Goode and Miss May Loomis of Brookfield.

H. A. Christianson and Miss Laura F. Baker of St. Catherine.

Albert Coppage of Tina and Miss Effie Peacher of Brookfield.

Maurice O'Leary of St. Louis and Miss Stalia Neal of Brookfield.

G. W. Moxham of St. Louis and Miss Sallie Tunis of Brookfield.

Thos. Mouser of Laclede and Miss Nettie M. Anderson of Brookfield.

### LIVINGSTON.

The long-distance telephone line between Hannibal and St. Joseph will "tap" Chillicothe.

A new paper, called the Advertiser, has made its appearance at Chillicothe. Of course it will fill a long-felt want.

Chillicothe is now trying to solve the tramp question. The only way to do it is to arrest the tramp and put him to work on the streets.

The home of Thomas Burke at Chillicothe was destroyed by fire, caused by a lamp exploding, last Wednesday night. Insurance, \$800.

Frank Darlington is in jail at Chillicothe on a state warrant charging him with stealing a box of barber's tools from the Milwaukee railroad depot.

Law. Harper of Jackson township went down in a well to clean it last Friday and was overcome by gas. He was in a critical condition when rescued, but will recover.

The Tennent-Stribling Shoe company of St. Louis has sued Sarah A. Ogden and W. C. Powell, who recently run the racket store at Chillicothe, for

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M. Killion of Chillicothe has sued the C. M. & St. P. Railroad company for \$5,000 damages for injuries received by that company last September, whereby one of his legs was broken and the other fractured.

Charles Holsclaw of Chillicothe was accidentally shot and killed at Moravia, Iowa, last Wednesday. He placed his shot-gun on a hand car, and in taking it off the car it was discharged, the contents of both barrels entering his body, killing him instantly. He was 22 years old and single.

### MARRIAGES.

E. L. Dorsey and Miss Ada M. Gage of Wheeling.

Wm. J. Mohrs and Miss Daisy Belle Keath of Chillicothe.

N. W. Matthews and Miss Lora E. Kilburn of near Springhill.

John H. Evans and Miss Gertrude Mabel Price of Blue Mound township.

John J. Mastries of near Jamesport and Miss Arminda Edwards of Chillicothe.

R. W. Cravens of Excelsior Springs and Miss Eva Hutchinson of Jackson township.

### MACON.

The Holiness people are holding a series of meetings at Walnut, and the attendance is quite large.

Dr. W. E. Webb of Macon has been elected grand chancellor of the Knight of Pythias of Missouri.

Louis Schmidt, aged 38 years, a prominent citizen of Macon, died in that city last Saturday of consumption.

Macon enjoyed the company of a blind man and woman last week, both of whom were led around by a small dog.

Wm. Bell, col., was arrested and fined \$50 and given 80-days in jail at Macon last Wednesday for carrying concealed weapons.

Thos. Sampson of West Walnut was divorced from his wife last March, and on October 1st the same couple were re-married.

The social season has opened with a promise of being the most successful in the history of Macon. The society people of that pretty little city truly enjoy life.

An unknown man, who was stealing his way on a Santa Fe freight train, had one of his feet badly mashed at La Plata last Friday by falling between the cars.

R. W. Howerton's barn, near Sue City, was struck by lightning last Sunday night, and together with grain and harness was destroyed. The horses were saved.

John M. London and Oswald Hicks, two Macon county nimrods, returned home last Sunday from a hunting trip to Colorado. They report a good time and plenty of game.

Mrs. Harry Pinkerman of Redman is missing. She started on a visit to friends at Memphis, Mo., last Tuesday, and all trace of her has been lost. These is no cause given for her action.

Wm. Cross and son, Lee, of near Callao were arrested last Wednesday and put under a \$250 bond, each, for their appearance at the next term of court for felonious assault on one Finis George last September.

### MARRIAGES.

James Albright and Miss Lillie Whiles of Clarence.

A. B. Parks and Miss Margaret I. Demory of Macon.

Wm. T. Robinson and Miss Della Walter of Ardmore.

W. B. Coulson of LaPlata and Miss Myrtle L. Lovett of Ethel.

M. H. Traylor of Kirksville and Miss Sylvia Louderback of LaPlata.

Frank P. Nessell of LaPlata and Miss Florence L. Slock of Cuba, Ill.

John Mahoney of Macon and Miss Mary A. Mulqueen of Hudson township.

Morris Froming of Eagle township and Miss Ida Brumback of Hudson township.

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### SALINE.

The Miami public school donated \$10 to the "Lafayette fund" last week.

The long-distance telephone between Marshall and Kansas City will be completed next week.

Hon. A. M. Dockery and Hon. J. W. Farris both spoke in Slater last Saturday night to large and appreciative audiences.

This week occurs the Saline county fox-hunters' carnival. The hunters will be in camp about eight miles east of Miami all week.

The Saline county recorder is giving wholesale rates on marriage licenses this month, and judging by the number he issued he has lots of "misery" to answer for.

Little Mary Bemis won the gold ring at the children's oratorical contest in Slater last Friday night. There were nine contestants, ranging from six to eight years in age.

George L. Burrus of Miami, who has been in the Klondike region for the past six months, returned home last Tuesday, but he had nothing but experience to show for his trip.

Richard Wells, the clerk at the Vendorne hotel in Marshall, came very near being shot last Tuesday night by a drunken traveling man, who refused to give his name. The pistol was discharged accidentally, and, fortunately, just missed Wells' head.

P. C. Storts of Slater lost a valuable mare last Friday in a peculiar manner. He fastened the mare to a tree with a short rope, and she walked around the tree and twisted the rope until she choked to death. At least that is what the Slater Rustler says.

### MARRIAGES.

Homer Conway and Miss Lentie Walker of Nelson.

Wm. E. Wilhite and Miss Minerva Rawlings of Slater.

Wm. F. Davis and Miss Julia F. Davis of Little Rock.

J. A. Hally, Jr., and Miss Emma Pearl Brown of Marshall.

Wm. D. Gaitskill and Miss Pearl Piper of near Hardeman.

John C. Hustedde and Miss Mary L. Kruse of West Glasgow.

A. N. Gordon of Marshall and Miss Mattie Bristow of Malta Bend.

Dr. T. C. Proctor of Slater and Miss Georgia M. Noel of Paris, Mo.

Peter Kearney of Arrow Rock and Miss Susie Reardon of Mt. Leonard.

### RANDOLPH.

Quite a number of cattle in the vicinity of Higbee are suffering from "pink eye."

The financial committee of the Baptist church at Higbee met last Tuesday night and cancelled all of the church debt.

Wm. Maynard, the veteran editor of the Moberly Headlight, has leased that plant to Charles Maynard and Clint. F. Leedom. Success to you, gentlemen.

Lizzie Johnson and Mary May, two colored girls, were arrested at Moberly last Saturday and taken to Boonville, where they are wanted for petit larceny.

Cattle, hog and chicken thieves have grown so bold in Randolph county that the farmers have offered a reward of \$100 for the arrest of the guilty parties.

George Baker, a soldier who joined the army from Moberly, was arrested in that city last Wednesday as a deserter. His company is now in camp at Lexington, Ky.

John Billow, a peddler of cheap jewelry, stole a pair of trousers at Higbee last Saturday night. He was arrested and fined \$15, Monday. Not having the money to pay his fine he was sent to jail.

Louis Harvey, col., was probably fatally shot by "Con." Brockman, a white man, at Renick last Wednesday morning. The negro attacked the white man with a club, and was shot in self-defense.

Moberly's street fair passed into history last Saturday night, and notwithstanding the bad weather the fair was a big success, there being over 10,000 people present on Thursday and Friday. The display of farm products was very fine.

### MARRIAGES.

S. S. Minor and Miss Pearl Dougherty of Higbee.

A. G. Fennell and Miss Juanita Anderson of Armstrong.

### She Got a "Safety."

Mexico girls are supposed to be as cute as they make 'em, but it has just leaked out that one of them has been victimized. However, it is nothing but justice to our girls to state that the girl in question has lived in Mexico but a short time, having come here from Fulton or Columbia.

Not long since the young lady referred to received a letter from the publisher of an eastern periodical stating that the publisher desired to secure fifty select subscribers to his publication among the residents of Mexico and went on to say that he had heard a great deal of the young lady and what her blandishments might accomplish in the way of securing the subscribers desired. The letter contained the promise that if the young lady would secure 50 subscribers at \$1 per year the publisher would send her an elegant "safety." By dint of much persuasion the fair one induced 35 of her friends to contribute \$1 each to the fund. Concluding that she could get no more subscribers the girl put \$15 of her own money with that collected and sent the amount to the publisher. When asked about the "safety" the maiden invariably said it was on the way, and so it was. The "safety" arrived the other day and the funniest part about it was, that it came by mail, for the "safety" is of the pin variety and will be used by the girl's mother as a part of an infant's wardrobe.—Mexico Ledger.

There are always a few people in every community who pay cash for everything they buy.

It is never too cold a day for a woman to go out without a wrap if she has a new dress to wear.

No woman ever becomes absolutely indifferent to her personal appearance. It is against nature.